

## MITIGATED DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

**Description of proposal:** Spider Timber Sale, Agreement No. 30-084781 and Forest Practices Application No. 2920313. This is a variable retention harvest of 137 acres in 2 units and 1 right-of-way with 4,738 feet of optional road construction, 3,186 feet of required road construction, and 7,835 feet of pre-haul maintenance.

Description of mitigation: The following mitigation measures will be implemented with this proposal:

- Riparian Management Zones (RMZ) averaging 190 feet wide on type 3 streams and a minimum 100-foot RMZ along type 4 streams have been retained to protect water quality, provide corridors for wildlife, and maintain habitat for fish and amphibians.
- ➤ Wildlife tree and snag recruitment will be accomplished by retaining a minimum of 8 trees per acre, consisting of conifer and hardwood species.
- > Lead end suspension required on all cable settings.

## Proponent: Department of Natural Resources

**Location of proposal:** Sections 23 and 24, Township 16 North, Range 6 West, W.M., approximately 14 miles by road, northwest of Oakville, off the T-Line road system in Grays Harbor County, Washington.

## Lead agency: Department of Natural Resources

The lead agency for this proposal has determined that it does not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment. An environmental impact statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21C.030(2)(c). This decision was made after review of a completed environmental checklist and other information on file with the lead agency. This information is available to the public on request.

[]	There is no comment period for this Mitigated DNS.	
[X]	This MDNS is issued under 197-11-340(2); the least of 14 days from <u>Necember 14,2009</u> by <u>Decombor 25,2009</u> .	ad agency will not act on this proposal Comments must be submitted

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There is no agency SEPA appeal.